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## TO LIMIT DELIVERIES

**Action Taken to Curtail Deliveries of Goods by Merchants to Conserve Labor and Expense.**

Richmond, Jan. 24.—R. Walton Moore, of Fairfax, represented the Virginia Council of Defense, of which he is a member, at a national conference held last week in Washington, under the auspices of the Council of National Defense, to consider again the matter of limiting the delivery of merchandise in cities and towns so as to conserve labor and expense.

The Commercial Economy Board regards this question as of great importance. Through Mr. Moore a communication has been addressed to the Virginia Council of Defense urging increased effort to bring all the retail merchants of the state into line with the national program.

In his report Mr. Moore states that he believes there is a great deal to be saved in the direction indicated and suggests that it would be well to urge that closer attention be given the matter by all the commercial bodies in the State and individual business men, and also to try to get the governing bodies of the cities and towns to become interested in encouraging and promoting a curtailment and simplification of delivery work.

It is pointed out in a statement from the Council of Defense today that the recommendations for reduced delivery service are now in effect, either as a whole or in part, in cities and towns throughout the country which have a total population of more than 24 millions. Eighty cities have already gone to one delivery a day. Nearly as many have restricted special deliveries and the return goods and C. O. D. privilege. And about 170 towns now have co-operation deliveries systems. The savings of labor have been large. The co-operative systems alone have commonly saved 50 to 60 per cent.

Great care has been taken not to push the campaign beyond the need for saving labor. The Commercial Economy Board has sought to enable merchants to release men only where there was actual demand for them either in the fighting forces or some more needful work. Under this same policy, the campaign will now be pushed more vigorously. The first draft under the questionnaires is expected about February 15. If the merchants are to be ready to give up in an orderly way the men they will lose at that time, it is pointed out, they must begin preparing now, and the delivery changes are believed to be the logical first step.

Besides enabling the merchants to get on without replacing men who are drafted, the changes will keep many from seeking to retain deliverymen for whom the war industries are bidding. They will also permit many merchants to transfer deliverymen to more essential work within their own business, in which there are vacancies on account of the draft.

**Organize Thrift Club.**

Charlottesville, Jan. 24.—Dr. I. F Lewis, professor of Biology at the University of Virginia, has organized a Thrift Club of students which started with thirty members and has been growing daily. The proposed plan is that each member shall buy a twenty-five cent thrift stamp weekly until a thrift card is filled. The ruling of the club is that money spent must be that which would otherwise go for pleasure—no "home money" may be employed for this use. The club was purely voluntary.

## TWO THOUSAND LAID OFF.

**Automobile Factory in Syracuse ... on Account of Fuel Short-**

...e, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Two ... workers were thrown out ...oyment today when the au... factory of the H. H. Frank... facturing Company was forc... se, owing to lack of fuel, ...h freight car shortage.

**In Memoriam.**

...loving remembrance of ...er, Mary V. Cheshire, ...his life nineteen (19) ... January 24, 1899.

...ing scenes of life, ...y toil may be, ...in joy or strife, ...dark of thee.

Julia H. Mason.

## WOMEN FINED $50 EACH

**Negro, Who Wanted to Shoot Up Neighborhood With a Double-Barreled Gun, Assessed $20.**

A negress named Lizzie Lee, who claimed to be from Richmond, told the police last night that she had been robbed of $15 and a gold ring in a house in the "Petersburg" neighborhood conducted by two negresses, Martha Myers and Abbie Butler. She alleged that a young white man and a negro man took her money and ring, the white man pointing a pistol at her. Serg. Wilkinson and Officers Nevett and Roland who made the arrest brought three pints of whisky from the house having found the same in a bureau drawer. The proprietresses of the house alleged that the Lee woman brought the liquor with her. The latter denied this charge. Neither the ring nor money could be found, and it was a case of one person's word against four. It was apparent to the court, however, that the Myers and Butler women were conducting a house of evil resort, and this was proven by the young white man and members of the police force. They were fined $50 each and the white and colored man $5 each, for disorderly conduct.

George Jones, colored, went on the war path on north St. Asaph street early last night. He procured a double barrelled gun and approaching a half dozen or more white men who are employed at the shipyard, and after exhausting his stock of cuss words at them, said he was ready to kill every man in the bunch, pointing the gun at them in the meantime. Sergeant Wilkinson and Officer Roland appeared at an opportune time and after disarming Jones took him in custody. He was brought before the Police Court this morning when he denied the charge urged against him although the men who were in the group positively identified him. He was fined $20.

William Gill, colored, of Earl, N. C., came here yesterday in search of his wife and child. He told the police his wife had decamped from Earl and was living with a man in this city. The police located the woman and she was brought before the Police Court this morning. She was given her choice to return to North Carolina, or serve a term of ninety days in jail for lascivious conduct the child in the meantime to be turned over to its father. She at first objected to returning to the place from which she came, but finally concluded to go back with her husband.

## BOND ISSUE PROPOSED.

**House Indorses Amendment to Constitution by Vote of 80 to 5.**

A resolution to amend the State Constitution so that Virginia may issue bonds for road construction and reconstruction was indorsed by the House of Delegates Tuesday by a vote, 80 to 5, Major James N. Stubbs being its most vigorous opponent because he believed such an amendment might cause the public debt to assume the proportions of the carpet-bagger period. The resolution was presented as a supplement to the series of bills aimed at creating the State highway system as recommended by the legislative commission appointed to formulate plans for such a system.

The primary object of the resolution is to place the State in position to accept Federal aid under the post road act appropriating several million dollars for road construction with State appropriations of equal amounts In its original form it provided that the money derived from sale of State bonds could be used for road maintenance as well as for construction. Considerable opposition developed to it in that form, however. The maintenance clause was deleted to meet the approval of the majority It was contended, anyway, that the State will derive sufficient from automobile taxes to care for maintenance.

We will have on sale the balance of the week. Mackeral, Halibut, fresh Herring and Trout. Geo. E. Price and Co., City Market. 21-t

The Potomac Fish Company will have on sale tomorrow and the balance of the week Fresh Herring, Ring Perch, Yellow Perch, Lake Trout, smoked Labrador Herring and Salt Water Oysters. C. H. Zimmerman proprietor. 21-1t.

## Alexandria City and Suburbs

Corporal J. J. Mitchell has returned to Anniston, Alabama, after spending a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, 126 North Henry street.

Mr. Louis DeMoll entertained his Sunday school class of the Methodist Protestant church on Tuesday evening at his home in the Berkeley apartments.

The alarm of fire early last night was caused by a slight blaze in the building occupied by the Alexandria Coffee Company, on the north side of Prince street, near Fairfax. The fire, which was caused by a peanut roaster, was soon extinguished, and the damage was slight.

Mrs. Aruba Hanrahan, who had been in declining health for some time, died at her home, 305 Wilkes street, at 5:45 o'clock yesterday evening. She was in the 71st year of her age. Mrs. Hanrahan was the widow of Patrick Hanrahan, and a daughter of the late William U. and Elizabeth Ann Herbert. She is survived by one son, Raymond L. Hanrahan.

Mr. Nevell S. Greenaway, of this city, and Miss Caroline E. Cobey, of Vienna, Va., were united in marriage this afternoon at 2 o'clock in St Paul's Episcopal church, Rock Creek parish, Washington, D. C., by the Rev. Harry S. Cobey, brother of the bride. The wedding march was played by Mrs. George E. Warfield, of this city. The bride was attired in a dark blue traveling suit, with hat to match, and had as her maid of honor her cousin, Miss Clara Speake, of Washington. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Winter Cobey, of Vienna. Mr. and Mrs. Greenaway left for a Southern trip, following the ceremony.

The funeral of George W. Jones, who died suddenly while sitting in a chair at his home, 330 north Payne street, on Tuesday, was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from Wheatley's chapel, the Rev. Dr. E. B Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. The deceased had been a respected resident of Alexandria for many years and for the past quarter of a century had been engaged in the contracting business as a carpenter and builder. He was also engaged in the grocery, wood and coal business at the corner of Payne and Princess streets. He was sixty-six years old and besides his wife is survived by his son, George W. Jones, jr., Mrs. W. A. Golden, and Misses Alma, Unica, Evelyn and Louise Jones. The interment was in Bethel cemetery.

## DAMAGE TO GERMAN CROPS.

**Farms Under Water; Bridges Washed Away by Floods.**

The Hague, Jan. 24.—Heavy damage is being caused throughout Germany by floods. Advices from Berlin yesterday said that a tremendous fall of snow has been succeeded by warm weather and rain and that many streams are out of their banks. Hundreds of acres of farm lands are under water, bridges have been washed away and scores of industries have been compelled to shut down. Railway traffic is paralyzed and telegraph and telephone services are crippled.

The greatest damage to the munitions industry has occurred in the Rhine Valley, where thousands of soldiers are employed in clearing away the wreckage and salvaging property floating in the water.

## COAL MINE EXPLOSION.

**One Hundred Men Entombed by an Explosion Last Night.**

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 24.—An explosion early last night in the Allen shaft of the Arcadia Coal Company's collieries at Stellarton, N. S., entombed 100 miners. Seven have been rescued alive. Men with the Draeger protection went down to continue the rescue work, but after three hours none of them had returned.

If you had a million dollars what would you do with it? A prize of $5 will be given to the writer of the best answer to the question. Address your letter to P. O. Box 101, Alexandria, Va. Prize awarded Feb. 8th. $1-6t

The State Corporation Commission has issued an amendment to the charter of the Elite Laundry Company, of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, Alexandria, creating a class of preferred stock.

A class in elementary hygiene and home nursing is being formed under the auspices of the Alexandria Chapter of the Red Cross. Only a limited number can be taught in a class. Those who are interested in the course of study and wish to join the class are requested to communicate as early as possible with Mrs. G. T. Klipstein, chairman of the nursing section of the Chapter, 607 Prince street. They are also requested to state in their communications whether they prefer to take the course in the afternoon or evening.

The Cameron Club is indeed fortunate in being able to announce that on Friday night, February first, at 8 o'clock at the Young Peoples' Building, Mr. Robert S. Barrett will give, under the auspices of the club, an illustrated lecture on South America. The views to be shown, many of them colored, were taken by Mr. Barrett during his travels of one and a half years on the southern continent and represent the many places he visited in connection with the activities of great interest to our government. This address, by request, was prepared by Mr. Barrett to be delivered in New York city, but owing to his hurried return to South America by order of the government, Alexandria will be the only place where this lecture will be given.

Deputy Collector J. Fred Birrell, assisted by Deputy Collector Geo. K Pickett, will be at the Revenue office in the postoffice building in this city, from now until February 10th inclusive, for the purpose of assisting tax payers who have received the necessary forms in making out their income returns. No forms have been received by Mr. Birrell as yet but they are expected daily and as soon as they arrive the public will be notified. Collector John M. Hart desires that all rende rtheir returns promptly and enclose their tax, as the government needs the money now. Everyone is requested to show their patriotism by complying promptly with the request. The ministers of the various churches are requested to urge upon their congregations the importance of this matter, and it is hoped the banks will assist their depositors in making their returns with promptness.

## VIRGINIA ROAD CONGRESS.

**Fifth Annual Session to be Held in Richmond Jan. 28th to 30th.**

The Fifth Annual Virginia Road Congress will meet in Richmond on January 28, 29, and 30, 1918—and the Virginia Farmers' Institute on the 30th and 31st, and on February 1st the inauguration of Hon Westmoreland Davis as Governor of Virginia will make it a Farmers Week indeed. The meetings will be held in the auditorium of Murphy's Hotel and will be under the direction of the Rural Road Improvement League, which serves as the "clearing house" for the various road organizations distributed over the State; and all road associations in Virginia or those in any manner interested in Virginia country roads or highway routes are invited to participate in the meetings, with the assurance that all their ideas for road improvement will receive equal consideration. Prominent speakers and road authorities will address the meetings on various phases of road improvements, and everything will be done to make the event a grand success. The public is invited to attend and participate in all discussions of road subjects. Every feature of getting roads for the people of Virginia will be discussed and provision made for their improvement, and the public of every portion of the State of Virginia are invited to participate and to offer their suggestions for accomplishing these objects.

**FISH DAY TOMORROW.**

Steak halibut, Spanish mackeral, fresh herring, Boston mackeral, lake trout and Norfolk oysters. Sanitary Fish Market, City Market. Phone 735. 21-1t

Potomac lodge of Odd Fellows will confer the second degree at its meeting tomorrow evening.

The Scottish Rite bodies conferred the tenth and fifteenth degrees at a called meeting held in the Masonic Temple last night.

Prayer meeting service will be held at the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the aged tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. A. J. Ross of 211 North Patrick street left today for Richmond where she has gone to attend the state G. A. I. convention.

The new officers of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, were installed last night by District Deputy K. A. Murphy of Richmond. The exercises were held in St. Mary's hall and a smoker was enjoyed after the installation ceremonies.

A complimentary dance has been arranged by the Refreshment corps of the Red Cross to be given on Saturday night at the Elks' auditorium in this city for the members of the 23d Engineers who are at Camp Belvoir.

The wedding ceremony of Miss Lillian T. Callahan and Mr. J. Lawrence Perry was performed yesterday at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. R. F. Downham, 429 north Washington street, instead of at the residence of Mr. E. E. Downham, as the Gazette was incorrectly informed.

James T. Smith, jr., died at his home, 1101 Duke street, this city, this morning. He was about 32 years of age and leaves a wife and two children. The deceased was the son of James T. Smith, a former sergeant of the Alexandria police force. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

At a recent meeting of the Alexandria Chapter of the Red Cross the following auxiliaries were reported as having been organized: Grace Church auxiliary, with Mrs. W. Courtney Lynch, chairman Southern Methodist church auxiliary, Mrs. C. M Smethers, chairman. At the same meeting it was decided to request the owners of automobiles to volunteer to bring supplies from the Red Cross Supply Depot, 638 D. street, N. W. Washington, to the Red Cross rooms in Alexandria, and also to take the finished articles from the Alexandria chapter to Washington. All who will kindly volunteer to assist in this work are asked to communicate with Mrs. H. D. Caton, Red Cross rooms, third floor corner of King and Pitt streets, Alexandria.

## WAR CABINET BILL KILLED.

**Republicans Go on Record Against Chamberlain Measure.**

Action last night by the Republican House caucus is believed to have sealed the fate of the Chamberlain war cabinet bill.

Refusing to go on record in behalf of the measure, the Republicans adopted instead a proposal calling, in effect, for a ministry of munitions. Senator Chamberlain's friends had depended upon the support of the Republicans.

The proposed department would be presided over by an appointee of the President, confirmed by the Senate.

The resolution was adopted by a vote of 75 to 19.

## ACCUSES BALTIMORE MAYOR.

**Mellen Asks Legislature to Investigate Alleged Waste of Funds.**

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 24.—Mr. Mellen, of Baltimore, went after Mayor Preston hammer and tongs in the house yesterday afternoon, and a joint resolution he offered for an investigation of Baltimore city government was sent to a committee after it had failed of immediate consideration by a vote of 54 to 32.

In his resolution Mr. Mellen charged that the mayor had wasted the city funds in giving dinners and entertainments, and that the city solicitor had not fully explained his expenditures.

**Annual Meeting.**

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fidelity Storage Company will be held at its office 122 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, Wednesday, February 13, 1918 at 3 o'clock.

20-12t P. H. Smyth, Secretary.

## HOLDS THE WHIP HAND

**Austria-Hungary in a New Position For The First Time Since The World War Began.**

Amsterdam, Jan. 24.—For the first time in the war Austria-Hungary holds the whip hand over Germany.

Overnight almost the dual monarchy has passed from the passive role of a subsidiary factor in the Kaiser's Mittel-Europa scheme to the part of a threatening, dominating and dictating member of that "firm."

Herein lies the transcendant significance of the news that came through during the last twenty-four hours from the two Teutonic capitals. Austria-Hungary's peace clamoring masses, it was learned, have quieted down only upon one condition, namely, that their rulers now and immediately force a backdown of the German annexationists and make peace—with Russia as a beginning, but preferably a general peace.

This weapon Count Czernin began to flourish yesterday. With it he means to force the German Junkerist backdown and then peace with Russia without annexation. Failing in that he will have the alternative of making a separate peace with Russia as the only avenue of escape from an Austro-Hungarian internal backdown.

Count von Hertling, the German chancellor, and Dr. von Kuehlmann, foreign minister, are scheduled to speak today on peace in the Reichstag. At the same time Count Czernin is expected to speak at Vienna.

Already the rumbling of a storm in Austria from the result at Brest Litovsk is being heard.

Berne advices tell how mobs parading the streets during the recent strikes cried:

"Long live Trotzky!"

"Give us peace!"

Many of the riots were led by women, these dispatches say.

London, Jan. 24.—The peace agitation in Austria-Hungary is receiving a great deal of attention in Germany The socialist newspaper Vorwaerts of Berlin, emphatically declares the solidarity of the German proletariat with Austrian labor in the peace struggle, and maintains that events in the dual monarchy must have a deep reaction in Germany.

"We have been walking on the edge of a precipice in the last few days," it says, and goes on to demand that the German government resolutely take its place by the side of its Austrian ally.

"As the fruit of pan-German propaganda," it continues, "we are menaced not only with the wrecking of the peace negotiations with Russia, but also with complete political isolation

## T. R. PREPARING FOR 1920.

**Former President In Washington Making Drive For G. O. P. Nomination.**

Theodore Roosevelt is in Washington playing the boldest game of practical politics the country has witnessed since his followers in Chicago a year ago tried a second time to scuttle the Republican party.

Thirty-six hours of typical Roosevelt maneuvering has revealed the interesting fact that he is making a Hindenburg drive for the Republican Presidential nomination in 1920, with the hopeful feeling that such a nomination will be tantamount to an election.

## HUN SUBMARINES.

**Nine Undersea Boats Said to Have Been Sighted off Coast of Brazil.**

German submarines were sighted off Cape Frio, Brazil, by the captain of a Norwegian steamer, it is reported. The undersea fleet was seen late in December, according to the report. No confirmation has been received.

It is reported that a German undersea boat has been seen in the Gulf of Mexico.

**Masonic Notice.**

There will be a called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, A. F. and A. M., on Friday, January 25, 1918, at 2.30 p. m., to attend the funeral of Brother Harry A. Downham. Members of Alexandria Washington Lodge and all Masons in good standing are cordially invited.

R. S. Luckett,
Worshipful Master.

Norfolk Oysters, Hampton Bars and Potomac River oysters. J. Brill No. 2 King street.

## MUTINY IN A GARRISON

**Soldiers in Vienna Refuse to Fire Upon Mobs That Were Destroying Property.**

Geneva, Jan. 24.—A mutiny has broken out in the Vienna garrison, and soldiers refused to fire on mobs that were destroying property, according to information from the frontier today.

It was estimated that numerous food shops were pillaged and that anarchists were openly defying the authorities.

Petrograd, Jan. 24.—A wireless message received by the Bolsheviki today announced a revolution in Vienna.

It declared that the revolutionists have named a provisional cabinet.

The ministry of foreign affairs made the message public.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Dispatches for the past week have reported great social and economic unrest in the dual empire. The people were reported incensed at the militarist, proannexationist attitude of Teutonic peace delegates at Brest-Litovsk. They were represented as crying out for peace to end a war-weariness constantly increasing and manifest through a general strike throughout the dual monarchy.

About ten days ago Swiss reports carried rumors of a general strike movement gaining headway in Emperor Karl's nation. Apparently this started in Hungary—which has always been restive under Austrian domination, and whose people are racially related to the Russians.

Budapest was the scene of a number of demonstrations for peace; newspapers there openly denounced German Junker leaders as endangering all hopes of peace with Russia through their insistence on annexationist aims.

Vienna apparently joined next in the general unrest. A number of strikes were reported nearly a week ago. Food demonstrations followed. The general strike movement spread rapidly throughout the nation. Austria immediately clapped on a rigid censorship. Her frontiers were ordered closed. But even through this veil occasional reports sifted into Switzerland indicating almost complete paralysis of industry in Austria-Hungary.

## WAR SITUATION.

**America Expected to be Fighting by Next Summer.**

America will be bearing a large share of the fighting in France by summer.

This was the prediction last night in government quarters, following President Wilson's assurance to members of the Senate that the United States will have twice as many fighters in France by June as it had first been thought possible.

Every department of the government, it was indicated last night, is working under new pressure, inspired from the White House.

President Wilson and his advisers see nothing on the horizon at present that gives definite promise of peace, but the growth of liberalism in Germany and Austria is being watched with keen interest.

The President and his advisers have inferred from the course of the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk that the military party in Germany is still strong enough to brave the rising tide of popular discontent.

Holland, desperate in her need for food, has braved German anger and has agreed to throw fifty of her merchant ships into the world's shipping pool. The entry of these ships into the world trade means just that much more tonnage released from the business of carrying troops to France.

Germany is herself aroused over these developments. In quarters close to the Dutch legation it was stated yesterday afternoon that the real reason Berlin refused to guarantee a safe passage for the New Amsterdam is a belief that if the ship comes to an American port she will at once be commandeered as another unit in the growing interallied transport service.

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## AUSTRIA TO FORCE PEACE?

While many careful readers of dispatches from neutral cities in Europe were at first disposed to hear with suspicion of Austrian attitude and the desire of a large percentage of the subjects of the dual monarchy to bring the present war to a close together with the wholesale strike of munition makers as sent broadcast over the world was the work of German tricksters, there is at present too much smoke, there is every reason to believe that Austria-Hungary is really war-weary and has about reached the end of their rope.

The newspapers contain significant dispatches daily describing conditions in the dual empire, and there can be no doubt that the nations are passing through a crisis.

The Washington Herald in referring to the turmoils now in progress in the land over which King Charles reigns says if the flame of revolt against militarism now rising in the ramshackle empire of the Hapsburgs—the sparks of which undoubtedly came from Russia—can penetrate down to Southern Germany, into Bavaria and Saxony, and thence to Prussia then indeed the war is as good as over, for that will mean the dethronement of Junkerism. Brushing aside the hectic flush of patriotism, getting down to the real mind and soul of the German as an individual rather than as a mere pawn in a war-making machine, there is hardly any doubt that he has been permanently cured of his dementia—the dementia of war as a paying business, of conquest, of world-power, of Nietsche superman philosophy, of organized, scientific slaughter. If his faith in the power and omniscience and character of Fritz's military masters can be shaken the rest is easy. The allies could then leave the war to take care of itself. It is to be hoped that the hash the Germans are making of their negotiations with the Bolsheviki will contribute mightily to education process among the Germans, but the world never will know what is happening in Germany until the deluge comes.

## DECEITFULNESS OF RICHES.

A minister from another section of the state occupied a pulpit in Alexandria last Sunday. During the delivery of one of his sermons he alluded to the ever-raging fight for riches, and made some logical suggestions concerning the impossibility of satisfying men who "will be rich." In short, the more they obtain the more they want, and when such see one with whom they cannot measure purses they assume they are poor indeed.

Humanity is afflicted with many sorrows, but, probably, of all our woes poverty is the least, provided we enjoy good health.

The Milwaukee Journal recently said wealth is a goal for many. Just what constitutes wealth, however, is a question. What may seem wealth to one may be far from it to another. To one palaces, yachts, private cars may be necessary. Another man may feel rich when he owns a cottage and has enough to eat.

Too many imagine that possession of wealth insures happiness. Yet it alone cannot give happiness, which must come from within the heart. To be happy there must be sincere love, true friendship, generosity that is not mere money giving, and other worthy traits of character. To be happy a man must have self-respect. Perfect happiness is not in this life, but honesty and kindness of heart may go far toward making it.

Prosperity is a greater test of character than is poverty. Much of the rich man's happiness depends on how he uses his wealth. Some are never satisfied. When a share of wealth is obtained, it only begets a desire for more. A man has no more good from riches than he makes good use of. A man may have riches of heart that bring more happiness than any amount of mere money.

"Wealth is not his who gets it but his who enjoys it." Contentment with what one may have is greater wealth than the greediest seeker for dollars can enjoy.

## STRIKING FOR PEACE.

The military masters of Germany announce that unless the Russian peace delegates drop their demand for no annexations the negotiations will be suspended. But Austria-Hungary is the ally of Germany, and the Government of that country openly says it favors peace without annexations, and the working people are striking by way of expressing their protest against the German attitude at Brest-Litovsk.

As the Philadelphia Record says, the people of Germany want peace, but they do not know how to make their military masters get it for them. The people of Austria-Hungary show them how to do it. Strikes for peace will bring the "Potsdam gang" to terms. The strikers in Austria-Hungary number at least half a million. The Government has no ground for using force against them unless they are riotous, and it is afraid to use the troops against the people even then. German papers recognize that the strikes are designed to force the government to make peace, and German working people read these papers and know what the people are doing in the allied country, and what the Prime Minister of the allied country has been saying for a year that he is in favor of. Let them do the same thing and they can get peace.

The Germans and the Austro-Hungarians cannot be driven by their military masters through a fifth war winter. The testimony of one witness of German conditions is:

"Germany is dying of physical exhaustion and want. The masses clamor for peace, but so far are held down by the iron hand of the authorities. But terrors of starvation will overcome terrors of autocracy."

## THE TWO PICTURES.

The Christmas greeting of Elsie von Hindenburg, daughter of the German field marshal, to the friends of German democracy of New York has just reached the organization. It is a little poem original with Fraulein Elsie. Here it is:

Christ Jesus gave His life for me.
From every debt I am now free;
He has procured His Father's favor
And has become my gracious Saviour.

Go to the bayonet thrust gives vigor
The joy to aim to pull the trigger;
My aid is Jesus, that I know—
On to the foe, on to the foe."

Mrs. Margaret Kemp, a widow, aged fifty-two mother of six children, walked twelve miles over the snow-capped mountain roads in the vicinity of Wilkesbarre, Pa., with her youngest babe in her arms to get warm. When she reached Wilkesbarre she pleaded for some means of getting warmth to the rest of her flock, who she said were freezing in the shack they called home on Bald mountain. The mother and her babe were sent to the United Charities and relief was at once sent the five children. The five little ones were found without fire in the house. They have neither shoes nor stockings, very little underwear and ragged outer garments. The snow was piled high about their home and they tried to keep warm under a few old horse blankets and quilts. All were taken to Wilkesbarre.

The German Emperor and his cruel war lords are responsible for the distress of this widow and her children by bringing on universal war. Yet the thoughtless daughter of a man as bloodthirsty as was Robespierre dreams that the meek and lowly Nazarene is adding vigor to bayonet thrust and rejoices to pull triggers in the interests of a brutal nation engaged in devastating the earth.

## WOULD BAR TIPS.

Among the bills introduced in the House of Delegates yesterday and referred was one by Mr. Hundley, of Essex, to prohibit hotels, restaurants, cafes, dining car companies, sleeping car companies and barber shops from allowing tips to be given to employees, and to prohibit employees in hotels, restaurants, cafes, dining car companies and barber shops from receiving them.

Nicholas Nickelby, it will be remembered, while endeavoring to procure employment in London, called upon a member of the British House of Commons who had advertised for a secretary. Nicholas was compelled to wait while the member of the House received a delegation from the district he represented. The delegation was offended, alleging that the member had not carried out the platform upon which he had been elected. The chairman, Mr. Pugstyles, alleged, among other things, that their representative had not put a stop to groaning in the House of Commons, as he had promised his constituents.

We are among those who can see no harm in a person giving tips if he feels so disposed and it seems to be a trivial matter to bring up in the Legislature of Virginia. That any attempt to enforce a law making it a misdemeanor to hand a barber, waiter or any other attache or a place of entertainment a tip would prove a failure should be apparent.

The Gazette yesterday directed attention to attempts now being made in the Legislature to saddle additional useless offices upon the tax-payers of the state. The same may have been said concerning unnecessary laws.

## Classified Advertising

WANTED—A stenographer. Apply to Castelberg, 935 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D. C. 7-tf.

FOR SALE—Hot water heater and piping, also folding bed, wash stand and dresser. Apply to M. S. Fairfax, Prince and Royal streets. Phone 582. 21-3t

WANTED—A middle aged settled woman to take charge of a house, Address X, Gazette office. 20-3t

GIRLS WANTED—By the Banner Steam Laundry, 909 Oronoco street. 21-3t.

FOR SALE—Slightly used. Victrola. $75 00 model. Cheap for cash including records. Address X. Y. Z., care Gazette. 20-3t.

TEAMS WANTED— FOR ROAD WORK AT BELVOIR CAMP; 75 CENTS PER HOUR FOR MAN AND TEAM. P. F. GORMLEY & CO., BELVOIR 20-6t.

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Five pounds Franklin sugar 45c. Picnic hams, small, 25c pound. Barrell flour $11.75. Eggs 60 cents doz. Green tea 40 cents pound. Country butter 50 cents. J. E. Purcell, 117 South Henry street. 21-3t.

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**And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black-Draught Relieved.**

Meadorsville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before.

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**Administrators' Notice.**

January 19, 1918.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Mary E. Woodward, deceased, of Del Ray, Alexandria County, Va., all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.

Robinson Moncure,
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1 Smoking Stand, was $2, now $1.25
2 Smoking Stands, was $3, now $2.25
1 Desk Set, .. was $6.00, now $4.00
1 Pyrex Baking Dish, was $5, now $3.75.
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P. M.----12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 15, 7 50, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M. and 11 35 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days.---5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2:00, 3 20, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 25, 8 25, 10 20, 11 50.
Sunday as above except 8 35 and 9 55 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.

**Washington Southern Ry**

Schedule in effect Jan. 13, 1918.
For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 9:13, 9:28, 11:38, a. m., 12:13, 1:13, 2:03, (Through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 4:33, 4:45, 9:13, 11:33 p. m.
Week days only 6:08 p. m. Saturdays only 4:45 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.
For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:52 (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:07, 2:47, 5:17 (local), 6:17, 7:02, 8:17, 9:17, p. m. daily.
Accommodation for Quantico at 11:03 a. m. daily and 2.38 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.
NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

## ICE IN NORFOLK HARBOR.

**Floes Cause Temporary Suspension of Passenger Service.**

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 24.—The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk steamer due here yesterday morning was held up by the ice floes that are coming down the bay, and arrived here an hour and a half late. Because of the ice conditions the passenger service, it was announced yesterday will be temporarily suspended.

Several tugs have been caught in the ice jams and are fast.

The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk steamer that left yesterday morning arrived at its destination nearly two hours late. Ice floes of great dimensions are reported floating down and impeding traffic. Navigation marks have been swept away and because of the danger at night the passenger service has been discontinued.

Newport News, Va., Jan. 24.—With clear skies and a slight rise in temperature the snow and ice which has hampered rail traffic and blocked bunkering of ships here is disappearing, and indications pointed yesterday to some relief. Some ships were bunkered Tuesday, but the work was greatly curtailed because of weather conditions.

## UNION SERVICES.

**Several Richmond Churches Remain Closed on Sunday Evening.**

Richmond, Va., Jan. 24.—The Richmond Ministerial Union, composed of ministers of all Protestant churches, Tuesday night went on record as unanimously in favor of union services to save fuel for the government. Plans to put it into effect are in formulation Several churches are eliminating night services.

**Found Dead Near Furnace.**

Pulaski, Va., Jan. 24.—Charles Clark was found dead Tuesday morning on a landing on the furnace of Pulaski Iron Company plant. He is supposed to have been overcome with gas and to have fallen twenty-five feet where he lay all Tuesday night in the snow which fell during the night. The body was found by another employee Clark is survived by a widow and one child.

**Court of Appeals.**

The following cases were argued Tuesday in the Supreme Court of Appeals:

No. 34. Heckler's executrix et als. vs. Kemp, treasurer, for, etc. Argued by Brockenbrough Lamb, Thomas B. Gay and M. J. Fulton for the appellants, F. T. Sutton and W. W. Beverley for the appellees, and submitted.

No. 82. Samuel et als. vs. Hunter's executrix. Argued by R. R. Hicks for the appellant and by N. T. Green for the appellee, and submitted.

Next cases to be called:

No. 33. Keister's administrator vs. Keister's executors.

No. 35. King vs Hartung, by etc.

No. 36. Washington and Old Dominion vs. Warner.

No. 37. Darling vs. City of Newport News.

No. 38 Abernathy vs. Emporia Manufacturing Company.

## B. B. WOODSON IS SUICIDE.

**Prominent Cumberland County Lawyer Blows Head off With Shot Gun.**

Farmville, Va., Jan. 24.—B. B. Woodson, a prominent lawyer, committed suicide yesterday afternoon at his home in Cumberland County. He used a shot gun, and his head was blown nearly off.

Mr. Woodson had but recently returned from a Richmond hospital, where he had been for treatment, and it is believed that his mind was unbalanced. He was well known in this section of the State and prominent in local politics. He leaves a wife and one child.

## CHANDLER MAY LEAVE.

**Newark Offers Richmond School Superintendent Nine Thousand Dollars.**

Dr. J. A. C. Chandler, superintendent of the Richmond public schools, has received an offer from Newark, N. J., to become superintendent of schools in that city at a salary of $9,000 a year effective March 1. The proposition reached Dr. Chandler in a telegram stating that he was elected at a meeting of the Newark board Tuesday night.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fish, Oysters, Clams and Crabs
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Fish received daily from our nets and prices lower than the lowest.
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## STOPS TO REST AND FREEZES.

**Accomac County Man Found Dying on Ice by Companions.**

Onancock, Va., Jan. 24.—Edgar Evans, of Chesconnessex, was frozen to death Monday while returning from his duck blind. Accompanied by two other men he had walked out to the blind and on his way back broke through the ice, getting wet above his boots. His boots being so soaked with water that walking through the deep snow was difficult, he sat down to rest, telling his companions that he would follow shortly.

His companions, alarmed at his not returning home, went in search of him and found him unconscious from the cold. They did all they could to relieve him, but he died without regaining consciousness.

Evans was 24 years old and is survived by his widow.

## BLAZE IN NORFOLK.

**Forty Automobiles, Valued at $100,000 Destroyed as Negro Looks For Gasoline Leak.**

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 24.—Forty automobiles, valued at more than $100,000, and the building at Granby and Tenth Streets, in which they were stored, were destroyed Monday night by a fire which started when a negro looked for a gasoline leak with a lighted lamp. The negro was badly burned.

# Oil Stoves

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**Public Sale of Valuable Improved Property in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.**

By virtue of the terms of a certain deed of trust bearing date on the 14th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded among the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Liber No. 65 folio 400, given by William L. Rammel, to secure to The Alexandria Building and Loan Association Incorporated the payment of a certain obligation therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said obligation according to the tenor and conditions of said deed of trust, the undersigned trustees of the said Alexandria Building and Loan Association Incorporated, on the order of the Board of Directors of said Association, and in pursuance of the covenants and stipulations of said deed of trust, will offer for sale at Public Auction in front of the Market Building on Royal street in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock M., on Saturday, February 2nd, 1918, the property conveyed by said deed of trust and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Madison street with the east side of Payne street and running thence south on Payne street 133 feet 5 inches; thence east parallel to Madison street 123 feet 5 inches; thence north in a direct line 133 feet 5 inches to Madison sreet; and thence west on Madison street 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning.

The above property is improved by a valuable house of modern construction.

Terms of sale: CASH, conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. A deposit of at least $250.00 will be required on the day of sale, the balance of the purchase money to be paid within Five days thereafter.

WORTH HULFISH,
C. S. T. BURKE,
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Trustees of the Alexandria Building and Loan Association, Incorporated, of Alexandria, Virginia.
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Jan. 17. 24-31.

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**A thrilling, fast moving story of the west featuring this little actress at her best.**

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One Ladie's Black Plush Coat, reduced from $65.00 to ..... $32.50

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One Ladie's Opossum Fur Set, reduced from $29.50 to ..... $14.75

# Alexandrians, Attention!

**You Who Are Property Owners.**

**This office is wrestling with Real Estate problems and even though our list of properties is large, we are unable to satisfy every client. Therefore, we appeal to you to list yours, whether it be improved or unimproved, furnished or unfurnished. Remember that with everybody's co-operation, Alexandria must and will become commercially important.**

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(If necessary, double-up with another family)

If we can't house the newcomers they may go else-where permantly.

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**M. L. HORNER**
**612 King Street**

## IMPORTANT NOTICE TO CONSUMERS OF COAL

At the direction of the Fuel Administrator for Virginia, an order has been issued to the retail dealers of coal in this city and county, not to deliver coal to household consumers, in quantities in excess of two tons and then only when the consumer's supply on hand is two tons or less. This will make the maximum quantity of four tons at any one time. To larger consumers, deliveries are not to be made in quantities greater than the actual needs of the consumers for fifteen days, and then only when the consumer's supply on hand is less than their requirements for fifteen days. This will make the maximum quantity held by larger consumers at any one time, only sufficient for their actual needs for thirty days or less. Industries buying coal in carload lots must obtain special permit from the Fuel Administrator.

To make this order effective, and to relieve the dealer of the responsibility and difficulty of ascertaining the supply any consumer has on hand, it is arranged that an affidavit be furnished by the purchasers of coal in excess of one-half ton (this affidavit can be made by any member of the family over sixteen years of age.) These forms for making the affidavits will be in the hands of the dealers, and notaries and the affidavits will be taken without charge, by any one of the following notaries public, who have offered their services to aid the Commission in this work:

Miss Gladys M. Brooks, room 1, Alexandria National bank building; W. C. Drury, 107 south Royal street; J. T. Burke, Burke and Herbert; Miss Cora Duffey, Office, Clerk of Court; Courtland H. Davis, 121 south Royal street; Claude H. Crump, 1801 King street; M. L. Dinwiddie, Citizens National Bank; J. J. Green, First National Bank; E. J. Fleming, 119 south Fairfax street; A. C. Moss, Alexandria National Bank.

By order of
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Fuel Commission, Alexandria city and County.

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We want those new users to have Cookers too. So we repeat this remarkable offer.

The cost of aluminum has doubled. Cooker prices have enormously advanced. But we make new users the same offer that we made to old. We will send this big aluminum Cooker for only $1, all charges prepaid, under offer made below.

This offer is for one week only. It applies only to those who have no Cooker now. If you are one of them we urge you to accept it.

### For {Quaker / Mother's} Oats Users



Extra Large and Heavy

Cereal Capacity 2½ Qts.

Made to Last a Lifetime

### A Million Homes Supplied

We have supplied over a million users of Quaker Oats and Mother's Oats with an ideal way to cook them. The purpose is to have these products cooked rightly.

Quaker Oats and Mother's Oats — flaked from queen grains only — has a wealth of flavor. Right cooking keeps that flavor intact. It makes the oat dish doubly delightful — makes it easy to digest.

So we had this Cooker made to our order — an ideal double cooker. It is extra large, so little or much can be cooked in it. It is extra heavy, made to last a lifetime.

That is the Cooker — made of pure aluminum — which we offer this week for one dollar, under the conditions below. If you are serving Quaker Oats and Mother's Oats, or if you will, we want you to have this Cooker.

## $1 Brings It This Week

Buy from your grocer five packages of Quaker Oats, Mother's Oats, or of Quaker Hominy Grits, or five packages of the three combined. Send us your grocer's sales slip for the purchase and send $1 with it. We will then send this cooker to you, all charges prepaid. This offer is good for one week only, and it applies to this vicinity alone. Address,

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Quaker Oats and Mother's Oats, measured by food units, are twice as nutritious as round steak. They supply nutrition at a cost of five cents per 1000 calories.

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### Quaker Hominy Grits
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Certainly no form of grain food excels Hominy Grits, if you get a dainty grade.

Grits are broken Hominy, and Hominy is the sweet flinty part of white corn.

It is served as a breakfast cereal, or fried, or in fritters, or in pancakes. At dinner it is served as a side dish.

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